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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

Pursuant to the duty of disclosure set forth in 37 CFR 1.56 and in accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98, the following information is brought to the attention of the Examiner for consideration during examination of the instant application.

Applicant submits herewith a copy of the International Search Report (in English) mailed on August 13, 2003 and conducted in International Application No. PCT/CH03/00352 of which the instant application is the U.S. National stage. In particular, the International Examiner cited:

- (1) DE 195 40 408 A;
- (2) WO 97 37515 A;

- (3) US patent 6,320,169;
- (4) DE 201 16 711 U1;
- (5) EP 0 645 114 A1;
- (6) Published application US 20020008632 A1which is listed in the Annex of the search report as a family member of US 6,320,169;
- (7) Published application US 20030095034 A1 (incorrectly listed on the International Search Report as US 2003095034 A1) is listed in the search report as a family member of US 6,320,169;
- (8) US patent 5,522,308 is listed in the Annex of the search report as a family member of EP 0645 114 A1;
- (9) WO 97/16943, front page, is cited for including the English language translation of the Abstract for DE 195 40 408 A.

Furthermore, Applicant hereby directs the Examiner's attention to the following reference cited beginning in the first line of the fourth paragraph on page 2 of the specification:

(10) EP 0 858 722 B1.

Copies of the above-listed documents (1)-(2), (4)-(5) and (9)-(10), including the International Search Report are enclosed as is a completed copy of the PTO-1449 form listing these documents. Copies of documents (3) and (6)-(8) are not enclosed since they are

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U.S. patents or published applications readily available to the Examiner. Accordingly, the Examiner is requested to consider these documents and to indicate such consideration by returning a signed and initialed copy of the PTO-1449 form with the first official communication.

Applicant notes that this Information Disclosure Statement is being filed within three months of the filing date of a national stage application. Accordingly, consideration of the enclosed document is required under 37 C.F.R. 1.97(b)(1).

Questions related to this submission may be directed to the undersigned.

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